610 B.C.

IT WAS RECORDED
THAT THALES FOUND
THE TOTAL ECLIPSE
OF THE SUN FOR
THE FIRST TIME.

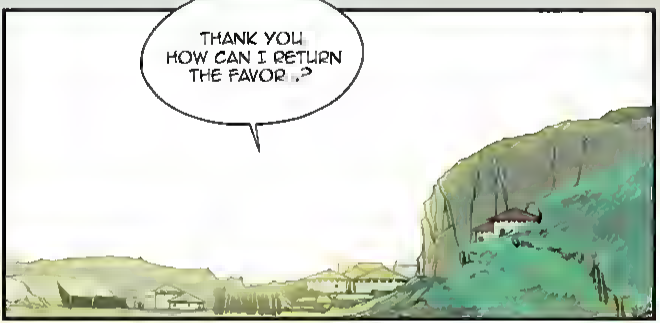
AESOP AND COMPANY
ARRIVED AT THE HUGE LAKE OF DEATH.

Aisopos

THIS PLACE IS FULL OF MONEY INDEED HOW CAN IT BE STILL LEFT ALONE AND NOT HAVE BEEN PLUNDERED BY THE OTHERS?
THEO'S LAST LIE HIT THE BULL'S EYE WHICH IS PEOPLE'S GREED

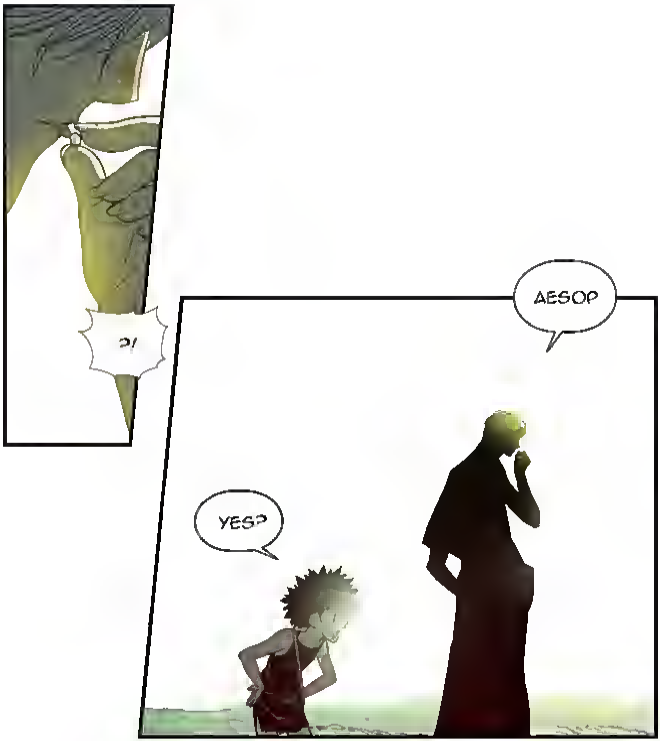
BECAUSE
I AM GOD.

WHOA~
WHAT WAS THAT? HOW DID YOU GET RID OF THE SUN...?


THANK YOU
HOW CAN I RETURN
THE FAVOR..?

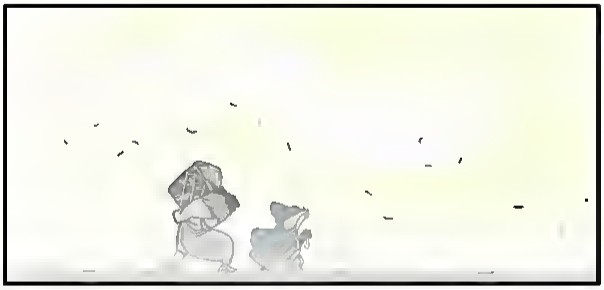
DARLING,
SAY THANK YOU
YOU OWE HIM
YOUR LIFE

...SLOWLY BEGAN TO DISAPPEAR.

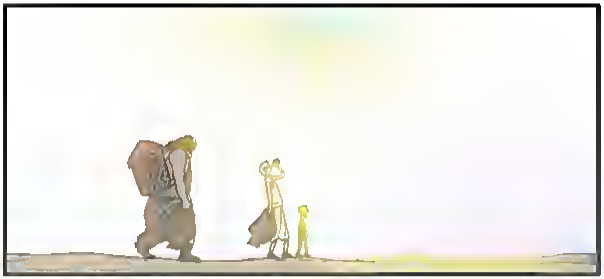

AESOP
YES?
?!

SO THAT I CAN BECOME MUCH STRONGER THAN YAOMON. .!

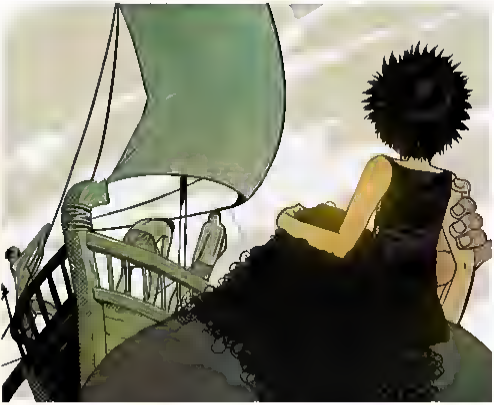
TO THE EAST...
TO THE EAST...



FACING THE STRONG WIND
AND SCORCHING SUNLIGHT,



HE BOUGHT A SHIP AND CREWMEN
WITH THE SALT HE FOUND



THIS LAKE IS TOO FAR FROM THE SEA THIS SALT IS PROBABLY COMING FROM SOMEWHERE UP THERE GOT MIXED IN THE WATER, AND THERE IS ONLY SALT LEFT HERE AFTER THE WATER WAS VAPORIZED
.....
SALT IS MONEY IT SEEMS THAT THE SALT IN THIS LAKE IS ENOUGH TO PAY AN ANNUAL SALARY FOR THE SOLDIERS IN MILLETUS
?!!

WE APOLOGIZE! FORGIVE US PLEASE!!!!

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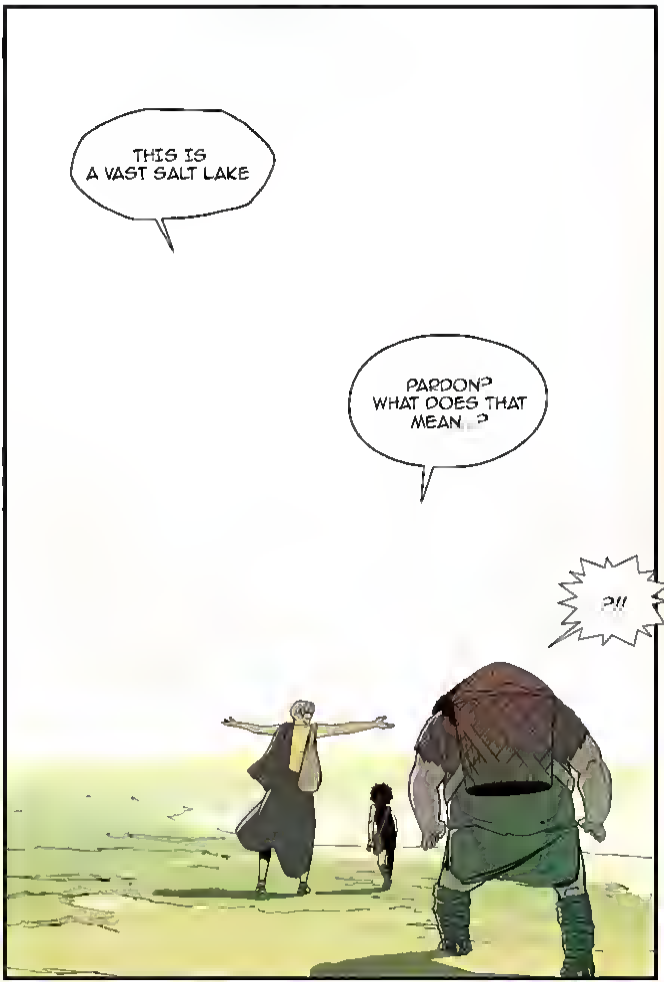
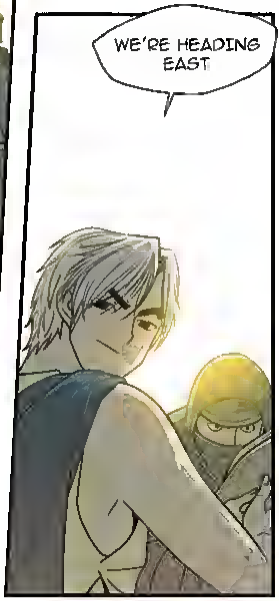
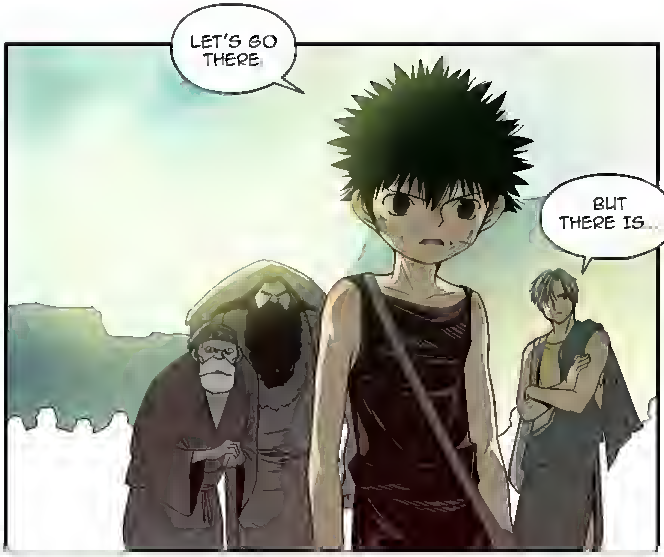
AS SOON AS THALES FINISHED TALKING,
AESOP WITNESSED THAT.

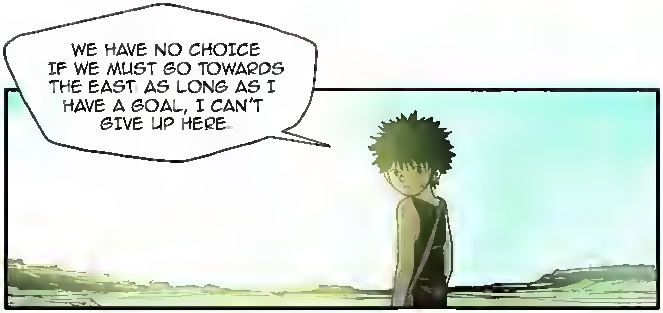

THIS IS A VAST SALT LAKE
PARDON? WHAT DOES THAT MEAN...?
?!!

I TOLD YOU MOTHER NATURE HAS NEVER ENDING SECRETS
25 YEARS LATER, HE STOPPED THE WAR BETWEEN RYDIA AND MEDIA THE SAME WAY


WE'RE HEADING EAST

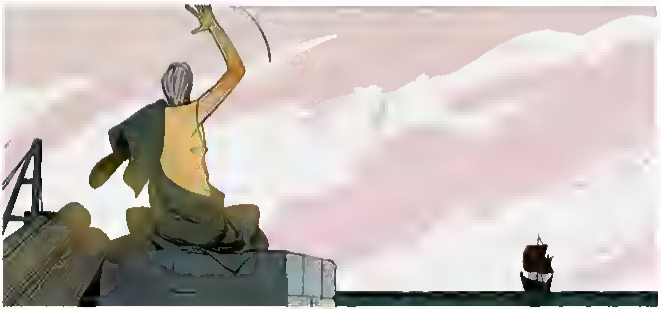
TO THE EAST...?
WHY...?

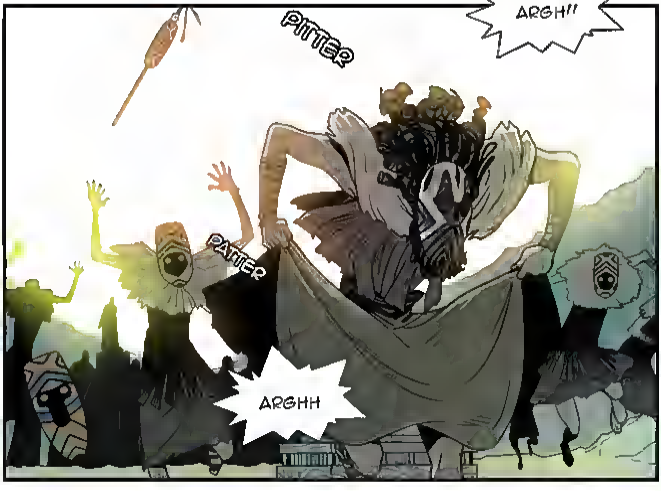

LET'S GO THERE
BUT THERE IS...


WE HAVE NO CHOICE IF WE MUST GO TOWARDS THE EAST AS LONG AS I HAVE A GOAL, I CAN'T GIVE UP HERE

THE BARBARIAN BECAME THE SKIPPER
'CAUSE HE JUST LOOKS LIKE ONE.

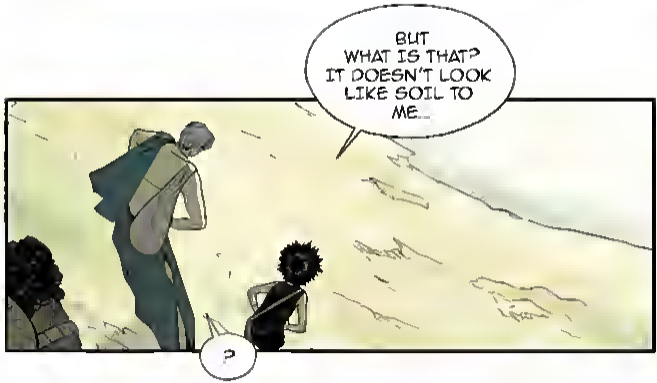
AESOP LEFT MILLETUS
WITH HIS COMPANY
AFTER SAYING GOOD-BYE
TO THALES.

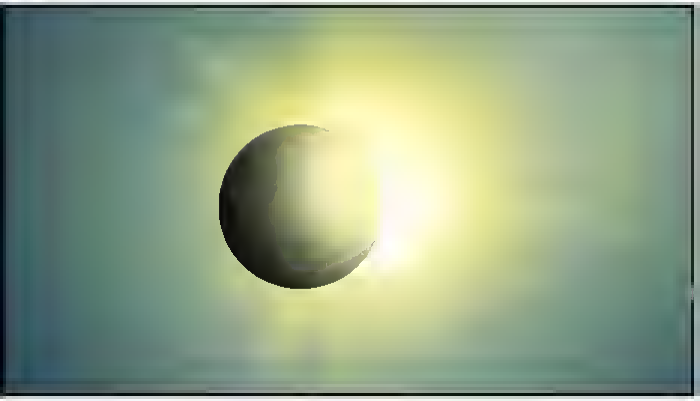


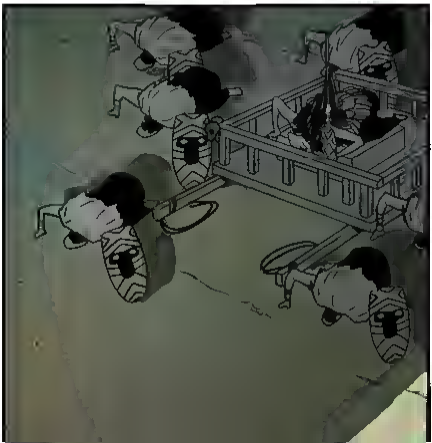

ARGH!!
PITTER
PATTER
ARGHH

THIS IS...
...SALT.

WOW...
IT'S BEAUTIFUL.
HOW CAN IT BE THE LAND OF DEATH...?

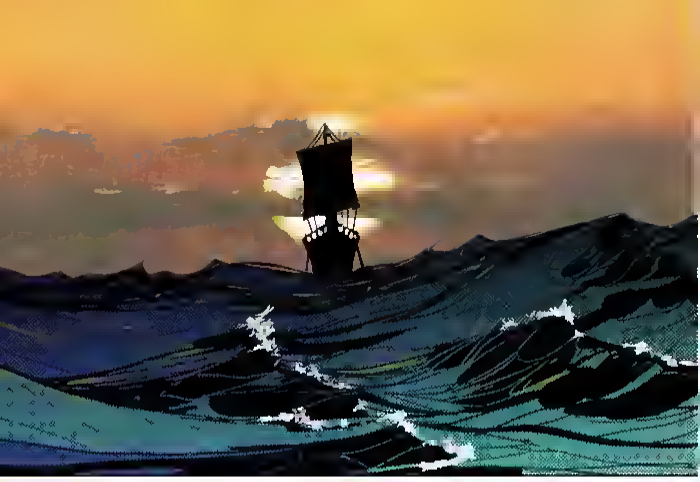

BUT WHAT IS THAT? IT DOESN'T LOOK LIKE SOIL TO ME...
?





LIKE THAT,
AESOP FOUND THE VAST SALT LAKE,
WHICH IS LIKE A SECRET STORAGE.

CONGRATULATIONS, TURTLE BOY.



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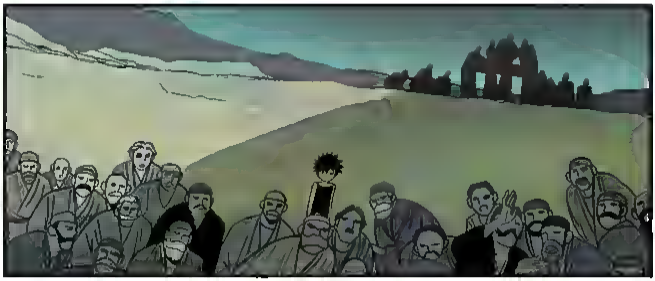
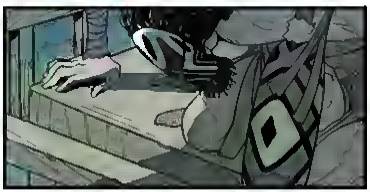
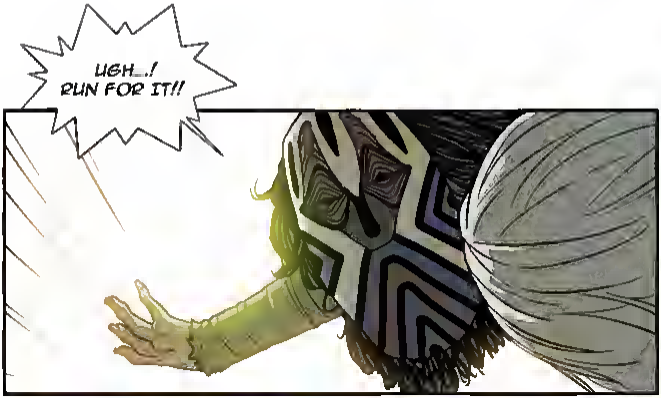
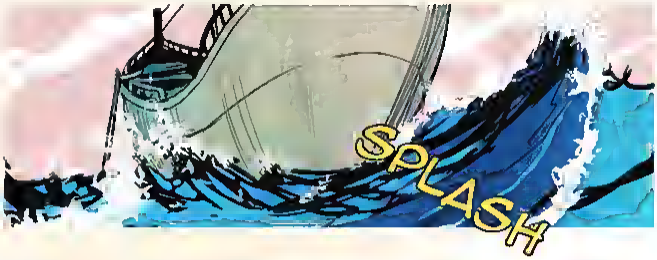




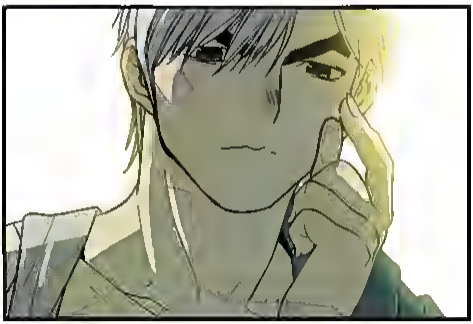
IF YOU COMMIT THIS KIND OF SIN AGAIN, I'LL PUNISH YOU IN THE NAME OF GOD


UGH...!
RUN FOR IT!!

LIKE THAT,
AESOP LEFT TO THE UNKNOWN WORLD
ACROSS THE OCEAN.



HMM,
LET'S SEE...



AH, THAT'S...
SHUSH!

I'LL PUNISH YOU WITH THE DARKNESS.

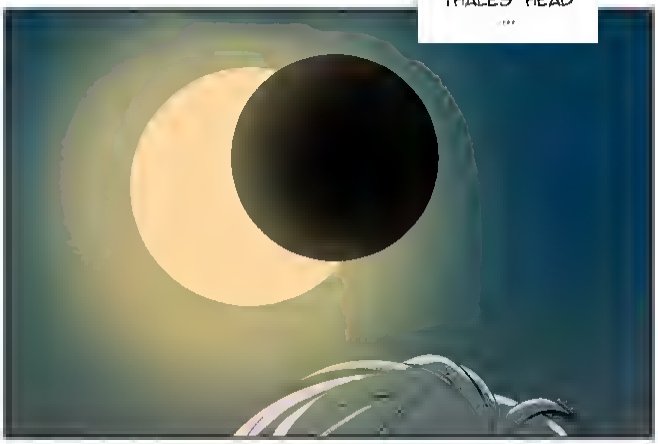
I'LL GO BEYOND THE PILLAR OF HERCULES.
I WILL VISIT PLACES AROUND THE WORLD TO GET STRONGER

IF YOU KEEP WALKING TO THE EAST, THERE'S NOTHING BUT THE LAND OF DEATH
THE LAND OF DEATH...?

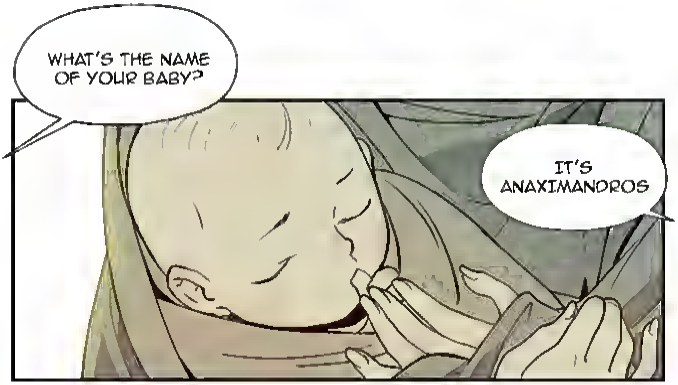
IT'S THE LAND WHERE NOBODY CAN LIVE THERE'S A HUGE LAKE, BUT EVEN FISH CAN'T LIVE THERE
IT'S CURSED BY GOD YOU'LL GET CURSED AS WELL IF YOU GO NEAR IT

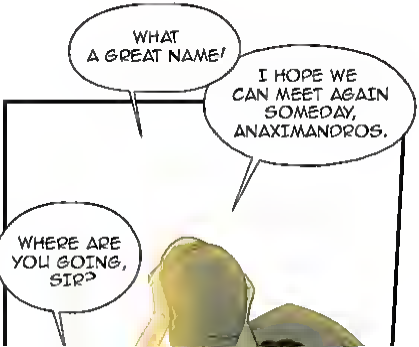
IT'S PROBABLY BECAUSE PEOPLE THINK THAT THIS LAND IS CURSED BY GOD
WELL, YOU'RE THE WINNER SINCE YOU BELIEVED HIM TILL THE END.

I THINK THIS IS THE TREASURE YOU VE BEEN LOOKING FOR
WHAT?


THE SUN OVER
THALES' HEAD

AND TEN YEARS HAVE PASSED.


WHAT'S THE NAME OF YOUR BABY?
IT'S ANAXIMANDROS


WHAT A GREAT NAME!
I HOPE WE CAN MEET AGAIN SOMEDAY, ANAXIMANDROS.
WHERE ARE YOU GOING, SIR?

YOU WILL NEVER DISGRACE GOD'S NAME AGAIN

HMM
IS THAT SO?

MY DAD ALWAYS TOLD ME THAT NO MATTER HOW FAST A RABBIT IS, THE RABBIT LOSES TO A SLOW BUT UNTIRING TURTLE THAT HEADS TOWARD FINISH LINE...

STORY/ YANGSOO KIM
DRAWING/DOGADO

WELL,
I THINK YOU'RE RIGHT
COME TO THINK OF IT,
I ALSO HAVE AN INTEREST
IN IT AS A SCHOLAR!
A LAKE WHERE
FISH CAN'T LIVE.

THEN,
SHALL WE
GO?